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## **TOWN OFFICERS**

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PAUL D. KING,	Moderator
PERRY W. BURT,	Town Clerk
ALSON C. COBB,	Treasurer
CLIFFORD C. McCLENNING,	First Selectman
ELMER F. WARE,	Second Selectman
ELWIN C. CLOUGH,	Third Selectman
ALBERT H. OVERMAN,	Tax Collector
ELI C. WELLINGTON,	Trustee Public Funds
ELWIN C. CLOUGH,	Trustee Public Funds
ALBA W. ATHERTON,	Trustee Public Funds
J. FRED FREDETTE,	Constable
OMER G. THOMPSON,	Auditor
EDWARD C. GREENE,	Auditor

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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To the inhabitants of the Town of Westmoreland in the County of Cheshire in said State, qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Westmoreland on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation for the same.
3. To bring in your votes for the election of delegate-at-large, alternate delegates-at-large, district delegates and alternate district delegates to the national conventions of the Democratic and Republican parties to be held for the purpose of nominating candidates for president and vice-president of the United States.
4. To see what sum of money in addition to what is required by law the town will vote to raise for the support of highways and bridges.
5. To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid for state road maintenance and raise money for the same.
6. To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid for trunk line maintenance and raise money for the same.

7. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 117 Laws of 1917 on a section of the Monadnock road so-called and raise money for the same.

8. To see if the town will vote to apply for state aid and federal aid for trunk line construction and raise money for the same.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise \$400.00 for the purpose of eradicating white pine blister rust.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise \$100.00 for the support of library.

11. To see what disposition the town will make of the income from the Jothan Lord fund.

12. To see if the town will vote to have two chemical toilets installed in the town hall and raise money for the same.

13. To see if the town will vote to elect a commmittee to investigate the feasibility of establishing a town forest and to report at March meeting, 1925.

14. To see if the town will vote to accept the Agnes B. Pierce legacy of \$50.00 to be held in trust and the income to be used for the care of the Walter Pierce and Alexander MacKay lots in East Westmoreland cemetery.

15. To see if the town will vote to accept the Sabina Aldrich legacy of \$100.00 to be held in trust and the income used for the care of their lots in East Westmoreland cemetery.

16. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the highway leading past the Keth places so-called beginning opposite the house of Arthur H. Chickering at its point of intersection with the road leading from Park Hill to Westmoreland Depot to its intersection with the Monadnock road so-called at Grange Hollow bridge, subject to gates and bars.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this nineteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

CLIFFORD C. McCLENNING,  
CLIFFORD C. McCLENNING,  
ELMER F. WARE,  
Selectmen of Westmoreland.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ELMER F. WARE,  
ELWIN C. CLOUGH,  
ELWIN C. CLOUGH,  
Selectmen of Westmoreland.

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND

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ESTIMATE OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR  
THE ENSUING YEAR FEB. 1, 1924 TO FEB. 1, 1925  
COMPARED WITH

ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PRE-  
VIOUS YEAR FEB. 1, 1923 TO FEB. 1, 1924

### SOURCES OF REVENUE

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	Actual revenue previous year 1923	Actual revenue ensuing year 1924		
			increase	Decrease
<b>From state:</b>				
Railroad tax,	\$372 74	\$370 00		\$2 74
Savings bank tax,	327 14	325 00		2 14
For fighting forest fires,		50 00	\$50 00	

### For highways:

(a) For state aid main-				
tenance,	572 35	800 00	227 65	
(b) For trunk line main-				
tenance,	753 56	900 00	146 44	

### From local sources except taxes:

All licenses and permits ex-				
cept dog licenses,	811 41	700 00		111 41
Rent of town hall and other				
buildings,	97 00	97 00		

	Actual revenue previous year 1923	Actual revenue ensuing year 1924	
			Increase Decrease
Interest received on taxes and deposits,	80 56	80 56	
From poll taxes,	1335 00	1300 00	35 00
 Revenue applicable only to new construction and improvements:			
Amount raised by issue of bonds or notes,	3000 00		3000 00
 Revenue which must be paid to other governmental divisions:			
Dog license for schools,	144 00	125 00	19 00
 Total revenues from all sources except property taxes,	<hr/> \$7,493 76	\$4,747 56	
Amount raised by property taxes,	\$12,932 60		
 Total revenues,	<hr/> \$20,426 36		

## PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

### Current maintenance expenses:

	Actual Expenditures previous year 1923	Estimated Expenditures ensuing year 1924		
			Increase	Decrease
<b>General government:</b>				
Town officers' salaries,	\$914 75	\$900 00		\$14 75
Town officers expenses,	243 90	250 00	\$6 10	
Election and registration expenses,		150 00	150 00	
Care and supplies for town hall,	876 72	200 00		676 72
<b>Protection of persons and property:</b>				
Police department,	29 25	30 00		75
Fire department,		100 00	100 00	
<b>Health:</b>				
Vital statistics,		5 10	5 10	
<b>Highways and bridges:</b>				
<b>State aid maintenance:</b>				
State's contribution,	572 35	800 00	227 65	
Town's contribution,	297 38	400 00	102 62	
<b>Trunk line maintenance:</b>				
State's contribution,	753 86	900 00	146 14	
Town's contribution,	256 38	300 00	43 62	
Town maintenance,	3831 10	3800 00		31 10

	Actual Expenditures previous year 1923	Estimated Expenditures ensuing year 1924	Increase	Decrease
Patrol unimproved Mo- nadnock road,	540 97	600 00	59 03	
Education:				
Libraries,	100 00	100 00		
Charities:				
Town poor,	499 50	600 00	100 50	
Public service enterprises:				
Cemeteries,	6 50	50 00	43 50	
Interest:				
On long term notes,	122 30	118 75		3 55
On principal of trust funds used by town,	353 31	353 31		
Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements:				
Highways and bridges:				
Permanent improvements,	914 85	900 00		14 85
Indebtedness:				
Payment on principal of debt:				
Long term notes,	1000 00	500 00		500 00

	Actual Expenditures previous year 1923	Estimated Expenditures ensuing year 1924	Increase	Decrease
Legal expenses and damages,	3725 26	100 00		3625 26
<b>Payments to other governmental divisions:</b>				
State taxes,	1150 00	1200 00	50 00	
County taxes,	1028 78	1028 78		
Payments to school districts,	5336 60	5300 00		36 60
Portion of poll tax paid to state,	504 00	504 00		
Total expenditures,	\$23,062 86	\$19,289 94		

**REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN  
OF WESTMORELAND**

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INVENTORY APRIL 1, 1923

335 polls,	
Real estate, resident,	\$367,130 00
Real estate, non resident,	179,255 00
227 horses, resident,	17,865 00
9 mules, resident,	875 00
4 oxen, resident,	200 00
821 cows, resident,	44,915 00
1 cow, non resident,	50 00
97 neat stock, resident,	4,110 00
2 neat stock, non resident,	80 00
52 sheep, resident	210 00
15 swine, resident,	280 00
2,625 fowls, resident	3,190 00
2 fur bearing animals, resident	10 00
1 portable mill, resident,	300 00
1 portable mill, non resident,	1,200 00
Wood, lumber, etc., resident,	1,200 00
Wood, lumber, etc., non resident,	3,200 00
Stock in national banks,	1,300 00
Money on hand and at interest,	4,185 00
Stock in trade, resident,	8,950 00
Stock in trade, non resident,	1,020 00
Mills; machinery and ferries, resident,	900 00
Mills, machinery and ferries, non resident,	1,700 00
Total valuation for assessment	\$642,125 00

Amount exempt to soldiers and soldiers' widows, real estate,	\$2,400 00
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### ASSESSMENT FOR 1923

State tax,	\$1,150 00
County tax,	1,028 78
Highways by law,	1,605 31
Highways by vote,	1,800 00
Highways for permanent improvement,	642 00
For repair Carlyle bridge,	350 00
For state aid maintenance,	400 00
For trunk line maintenance,	300 00
Patrol Monadnock road,	500 00
General government,	1,350 00
Police department,	35 00
Fire department,	100 00
Town poor,	400 00
Cemeteries,	75 00
Interest on long term notes and trust funds,	450 00
Sewell damage case, note and interest,	595 00
Town hall note,	500 00
For painting town hall,	400 00
For insurance,	225 00
For support of library,	100 00
Poll taxes to be paid state,	636 00
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	\$12,642 09

#### For support of schools:

Amount required by law to obtain state aid,	\$3,348 20
Salaries district officers,	175 00
State supervision, \$2.00 per capita,	214 00
Excess superintendent's salary,	260 00
High school tuition,	500 00
Expense of administration,	50 00

Construction school house,	500 00
Interest construction debt,	160 00
	—————
	\$5,187 20
	—————
	\$17,829 29
Overlay,	314 32
	—————
Total assessment,	\$18,143 61
Less poll taxes,	1,641 00
	—————
Rate 2 5-7 per cent	\$16,502 61
Error in assessment National Bank stock on account of change in law,	20 41
After assessments Winchester national bank,	4 50
Polls	23 00
	—————
	\$27 50

**FINANCIAL REPORT  
OF THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND  
IN CHESHIRE COUNTY**

For the Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1924

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**Certificate**

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Date, Feb. 1, 1924.

C. C. McCLENNING,  
ELMER F. WARE,  
ELWIN C. CLOUGH,  
Selectmen.  
A. C. COBB,  
Treasurer.

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**ASSETS**

**Cash:**

In hands of treasurer,	\$835 90
Unredeemed property bought by town for taxes,	526 65

**Accounts due to the town:**

**Due from state:**

(a) Bounties,	\$40 00
(b) Amount spent in excess of appropriation on trunk line construction in 1919,	359 50
(c) State aid maintenance unexpended balance in state treasury,	362 91

(d) Trunk line maintenance unexpended balance in state treasury,	200 61
(e) State aid construction,	33 14
	—————
<b>\$996 16</b>	
Due from county:	
(a) Pauper account,	\$29 74
(b) Vital statistics,	7 35
	—————
	<b>\$37 09</b>
Other bills due town:	
Taxes not collected:	
(a) Levy of 1923,	\$3,898 18
(b) Levy of 1922,	167 93
(c) Levy of 1921,	17 94
	—————
	<b>\$4,084 05</b>
Total assets,	\$6,479 85
Excess of liabilities over assets, (net debt),	5,387 48
	—————
Grand total,	<b>\$11,867 33</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by town:	
Due to school districts, dog licenses,	\$144 00
<b>State and town joint highway accounts:</b>	
(a) Unexpended balance in state treasury,	\$596 66
(b) Unexpended balance in town treasury,	331 18
(c) Balance of amount to be set aside for permanent improvement,	349 15
	—————
	<b>\$1,276 99</b>

Long term notes outstanding:	
Sewall damage debt,	\$2,500 00
Trust funds, amount of principal used by town,	7,946 34
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Total liabilities,	\$11,867 33
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Grand total,	\$11,867 33
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Net debt, January 31, 1923,	\$7,484 21
Net debt, January 31, 1924,	5,387 48
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Decrease of debt,	\$2,096 73

## RECEIPTS

Current revenue:	
From local taxes:	
Property taxes committed to collector, 1923,	\$16,502 61
Less discounts and abate- ments, 1923,	255 83
Less uncollected 1923,	3,898 18
1. Property taxes, current year, ac- tually collected,	\$12,932 60
2. Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 15 at \$3,	45 00
3. Poll taxes, current year, actually collected, 207 at \$5,	1,035 00
4. Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected,	2,255 42
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Total of above collections,	\$16,268 02
Tax sales redeemed,	606 68

## From state:

## 6. For highways:

(a) For state aid maintenance,	\$572 35
(b) For trunk line maintenance,	753 86
8. Railroad tax,	372 74
9. Savings bank tax,	327 14
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	\$2,026 09

## From county:

14. For support of poor,	32 50
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## From local sources except taxes:

16. Dog licenses,	144 00
17. Business licenses and permits,	1 00
19. Rent of town hall,	97 00
20. Interest received on taxes,	91 22
22. Income from trust funds,	12 75
26. Permits for the registration of motor vehicles,	810 41
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	\$1,156 38

Total current receipts revenue,	\$20,089 67
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## Receipts other than current revenue:

28. Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year,	\$3,000 00
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Total receipts other than current revenue,	\$3,000 00
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Total receipts from all sources,	\$23,089 67
Cash on hand February 1, 1923,	1,410 97

Grand total,	\$24,500 64
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## PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses:

General government:

1. Town officers' salaries,	\$914 75
2. Town officers' expenses,	243 90
5. Expenses town hall and other town buildings,	876 82
	—————
	\$2,035 47

Protections of persons and property:

6. Police department, including care of tramps,	\$29 25
9. Bounties,	40 00
	—————
	\$69 25

Health:

12. Vital statistics,	\$5 10
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Highways and bridges:

Carlyle bridge,	\$307 86
14. State aid maintenance,	869 73
15. Trunk line maintenance,	1,010 24
16. Town maintenance,	3,240 47
17. Town patrol,	540 97
18. Snow account,	282 77
	—————
	\$6,252 04

Libraries:

19. Libraries,	\$100 00
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Charities:

20. Town poor,	\$499 50
21. County poor,	67 09
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	\$566 59

## Public service enterprises:

27. Cemeteries, including hearse hire,	\$6 50
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## Unclassified:

28. Damages and legal expenses,	\$3,725 26
29. Taxes bought by town,	462 88
30. Refunds,	31 81
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	\$4,219 95

Total current maintenance expenses,	\$13,254 90
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## Interest:

33. Paid on long term notes,	\$122 30
35. Paid on principal of trust fund used by town,	353 31
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Total interest payments,	\$475 61

Outlay for new construction and permanent  
improvements:

38. Highways and bridges, permanent improvement,	\$914 85
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Total outlay payments,	\$914 85
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## Indebtedness:

45. Payments on long term notes,	\$1,000 00
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Total indebtedness payments,	\$1,000 00
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## Payments to other governmental divisions:

50. Taxes paid to state,	\$1,150 00
51. Taxes paid to county,	1,028 78

53. Payments to school districts,	5,336 60
Portion of \$5 poll taxes paid to state,	504 00
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Total payments to other governmental divisions,	\$8,019 38
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Total payments for all purposes,	\$23,664 74
Cash on hand January 31, 1924,	835 90
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Grand total,	\$24,500 64

## LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, land and buildings,	\$12,000 00
Furniture and equipment,	1,200 00
Library building,	1,200 00
Furniture and equipment,	200 00
Books and specimens,	1,500 00
Highway department equipment,	600 00
Hearse and harnesses,	250 00
Hearse house,	100 00
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	\$17,050 00

## REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

From March 13, 1923, to Feb. 1, 1924, total number of automobile permits issued, 139.

Total amount received for automobile taxes, \$837 09

Refunded on autos sold before being registered,

26 68

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Amount paid to treasurer for auto taxes, \$810 41

Money received for dog licenses, \$105 00

Town clerk's fee, 9 00

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Amount paid to treasurer, \$96 00

PERRY W. BURT,

Town Clerk.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1924

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### RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, balance from 1922 account,	\$1,410 97
A. H. Overman, collector, taxes 1923,	14,012 60
A. H. Overman, collector, interest on 1923 taxes,	8 12
A. H. Overman, collector, taxes 1922,	2,226 92
A. H. Overman, collector, interest on 1922 taxes,	79 06
A. H. Overman, collector, taxes 1921,	23 50
A. H. Overman, collector, interest on 1921 taxes,	2 67
A. H. Overman, collector, taxes 1920,	5 00
A. H. Overman, collector, interest on 1920 taxes,	1 37
Redemption of property sold for taxes,	606 68
Perry W. Burt, town clerk, auto taxes,	810 41
Perry W. Burt, town clerk, dog tax,	96 00
J. Fred Fredette, constable, dog tax,	48 00
Geo. E. Farrand, state treasurer, railroad tax,	372 74
Geo. E. Farrand, state treasurer, savings bank tax,	327 14
E. B. Derry, janitor, hall rent,	97 00
Cheshire Co. Savings Bank, town note,	3,000 00
County Commissioners, pauper account,	32 50
Geo. E. Farrand, state treasurer, highway account,	1,326 21
E. C. Clough, income from trust fund,	12 75
C. C. McClenning, fire arms permit,	1 00
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	<b>\$24,500 64</b>

## EXPENDITURES

Geo. E. Farrand, state treasurer, state tax,	\$1,150 00
Geo. E. Farrand, state treasurer, portion of \$5.00 poll taxes,	504 00
County treasurer, county tax,	1,028 78
Cheshire Co. Savings Bank, notes and interest,	1,021 19
E. B. Farrington, school treasurer,	5,336 60
E. C. Clough, trustee, interest on trust funds used by town,	353 31
Town orders,	14,270 86
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	\$23,664 74
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1924,	835 90
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	\$24,500 64

A. C. COBB,  
Treasurer.

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## SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, balance from 1922,	\$1,410 97
From A. H. Overman, tax collector, 1923,	14,012 60
From A. H. Overman, collector, interest 1923,	8 12
From A. H. Overman, collector, 1922,	2,226 92
From A. H. Overman, collector, interest 1922,	79 06
From A. H. Overman, collector, 1921,	23 50
From A. H. Overman, collector, interest 1921,	2 67
From A. H. Overman, collector, 1920,	5 00
From A. H. Overman, collector, interest 1920,	1 37
From state for state aid maintenance,	572 35
From state for trunk line maintenance,	753 86
From state for railroad tax,	372 74
From state for savings bank tax,	327 14

From county, pauper account,	32 50
From dog licenses,	144 00
From rent town hall,	97 00
From Perry W. Burt, auto taxes,	810 41
From C. C. McClenning, permit firearms,	1 00
From A. H. Overman, redemption of property sold for taxes,	606 68
Town note,	3,000 00
Income from trust fund,	12 75
	\$24,500 64

## SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town officers' salaries,	\$914 75
Town officers' expenses,	243 90
Town hall account,	876 82
Police department,	29 25
Bounties,	40 00
Vital statistics,	5 10
Patrol unimproved portion Monadnock road,	540 97
State aid maintenance,	869 73
Trunk line maintenance,	1,010 24
Town maintenance highways and bridges,	3,548 33
Snow account, Feb. and Mar. 1923,	282 77
Library account,	100 00
Town dependents,	499 50
County account,	67 09
Cemeteries,	6 50
Taxes bought by town,	462 88
Legal expenses,	3,725 26
Interest,	475 61
For permanent improvement,	914 85
Indebtedness,	1,000 00
Payments to other governmental divisions,	2,682 78

Schools,	5,336	69
Refunds,	31	81
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	\$23,664	74

## TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Alson C. Cobb, treasurer,	\$50	00
Albert H. Overman, tax collector, part payment 1922,	50	00
Albert H. Overman, tax collector, part payment 1923,	100	00
Perry W. Burt, town clerk,	84	75
Clifford C. McClenning, making reports, Feb. 1923,	25	00
Elmer F. Ware, making reports, Feb. 1923,	25	00
Edward C. Greene, making reports, Feb. 1923,	25	00
Clifford C. McClenning, selectman,	175	00
Elmer F. Ware, selectman,	175	00
Elwin C. Clough, selectman,	175	00
Omer G. Thompson, auditor, 1921 and 1922,	18	00
Clifford C. McClenning, copying inventory record,	5	00
J. E. Sheldon, issuing auto permits, Feb. and March, 1923,	2	00
Paul D. King, moderator,	5	00
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	\$914	75

## TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Sentinel Printing Co., printing reports,	\$136	80
Spalter Book Store,	21	11
Edson C. Eastman Co., Concord,	10	39
C. C. McClenning, postage and telephone charges,	6	93
A. C. Cobb, postage and telephone,	3	44
E. C. Clough, trustee, rent safe deposit box,	3	00
A. H. Overman, postage, telephone, printing and collection expenses,	43	84
Perry W. Burt, printing, postage and supplies,	18	39
		-----
	\$243	90

## TOWN HALL ACCOUNT

Keene Gas and Electric Co.,	\$27 36
E. B. Derry, janitor,	49 96
W. F. Hammond, sawing 8 cords wood,	8 00
C. C. McClenning, 5 cords wood,	45 00
R. F. Graves, painting and repairing slate,	303 25
L. D. Warren, paint stock,	154 30
Mason Insurance Agency,	140 00
A. B. Palmer, insurance,	109 00
Keene Gas and Electric Appliance Co.,	14 95
F. L. Jaquith, tuning piano,	4 50
Spencer Hardware Co., sink,	12 50
E. C. Clough, freight,	50
A. C. Goodrum, slab wood,	7 50
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	\$876 82

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

J. Fred Fredette, constable service,	\$17 00
Cheshire County Farm, keeping tramps,	12 25
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	\$29 25

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation for 1923,	\$100 00
No expenditures.	

## BOUNTIES

Paid Elmer F. Ware:	
100 hedgehogs at 20c,	\$20 00
1 wildcat,	20 00
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	\$40 00
Due from state,	\$40 00

## VITAL STATISTICS

J. A. Craig, returning birth and death certificates,	\$1 00
Perry W. Burt, recording birth and death certificates,	4 10
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	\$5 10

## ACCOUNT OF DOG MONEY

1922 dog license fees in treasury Feb. 1, 1923,	\$149 40
Paid school district May 5, 1923,	149 40
Amount received for 1923 dog licenses,	\$144 00
Amount due school district May 1, 1924,	144 00

## TOWN PATROL UNIMPROVED SECTION MONADNOCK ROAD

Balance in treasury from 1922 account,	\$14 43
Appropriation by town, 1923,	500 00
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Total fund,	\$514 43

## EXPENDITURES

Paid Carl M. Barrett,	\$443 57
Paid E. C. Clough,	97 40
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	\$540 97

## STATE AID MAINTENANCE

Appropriation by town 1923,	\$400 00
Appropriation by state 1923,	800 00
Balance in town treasury,	78 84
Balance in state treasury,	157 66
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Total joint fund,	\$1,436 50

## EXPENDITURES

Paid H. S. Hall,	\$761 93
Paid F. G. Huntley,	107 80
Paid by state for engineering,	22 40
	_____
Total expenditures,	\$892 13
Received from state,	\$572 35
	_____
Unexpended balance in state treasury,	\$362 91
Unexpended balance in town treasury,	181 46
	_____
Total unexpended balance,	\$544 37

## TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

Appropriation by town 1923,	\$300 00
Appropriation by state 1923,	900 00
Balance in town treasury,	23 25
Balance in state treasury,	69 77
	_____
Total joint fund,	\$1,293 02

## EXPENDITURES

Paid Geo. A. Capron,	\$1,010 24
Paid by state for engineering,	15 30
	_____
Total expenditures,	\$1,025 54
Received from state,	\$753 86
	_____
Unexpended balance in state treasury,	\$200 61
Unexpended balance in town treasury,	66 87
	_____
Total unexpended balance,	\$267 48

## TOWN MAINTENACE OF HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Forrest W. Hall, housing snow roller 2 years,	\$5 00
John R. Burt, Feb. and Mar. snow account, 1923,	277 77
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	\$282 77

## John R. Burt, agent:

March account,	\$10 33
April account,	96 08
May account,	404 86
June account,	254 60
July account,	151 30
August account,	843 91
September account,	719 75
October account,	498 40
November account,	174 06
December account,	62 71
January account,	10 75
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Omer G. Thompson, bridge plank, 1921 account,	\$3,226 75
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\$3,240 47
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## CARLYLE BRIDGE ACCOUNT

Raised by vote,	\$350 00
Expended by John R. Burt, agent,	307 86

## LIBRARY ACCOUNT

Raised by vote,	\$100 00
Paid Alice B. McClenning, trustee,	100 00

## TOWN DEPENDENTS

Raised by vote,	\$400 00
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Paid Bayard T. Mousley, M. D., medical attendance for Chas. Kathan,	\$6 00
Paid J. A. Craig, M. D., medical attendance for Chas. Kathan,	23 75
Paid Alba W. Atherton, potatoes for Chas. Kathan,	9 70
Paid Leonard D. Warren, supplies for Chas. Kathan,	157 44
Paid C. L. Paine, wood for Chas. Kathan,	9 00
Paid Frank Tobey, cutting wood for Chas. Kathan,	9 00
Paid Arthur Chickering, hauling wood for Chas. Kathan,	13 00
Paid Lawrence A. Leach, sawing wood for Chas. Kathan,	7 50
Paid Adam C. Goodrum, wood for Chas. Kathan,	30 00
Paid E. C. Clough, potatoes for Chas. Kathan,	1 50
Paid Frank Tobey, potatoes for Chas. Kathan,	1 00
Paid Cameron L. Paine, wood for W. O. Dinsmoor,	9 00
Paid Lephe E. Pierce, board for W. O. Dinsmoor,	222 61
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	\$499 50

#### COUNTY ACCOUNT

Due from county on 1922 account,	\$2 50
Paid H. S. Black, rent for Elwin Wilcox,	\$30 00
Paid Elmer F. Ware, supplies for Roach family,	4 48
Paid Chester M. McClenning, supplies for Roach family,	25 26
Paid J. A. Craig, returning birth and death certifi- cates from Cheshire Co. farm,	3 75
Paid Perry W. Burt, recording birth and death cer- tificates at Cheshire County farm,	3 60
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	\$67 09
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Received from county,	\$69 59
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Due from county,	32 50
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	\$37 09

## CEMETERIES

Raised by vote,	\$75 00
Paid Carl M. Barrett, driving hearse,	\$5 00
Paid Spencer Hardware, padlock for hearse house,	1 50
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	\$6 50
Unexpended balance,	\$68 50

## TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Paid Albert H. Overman, collector, March 17, 1923, non-resident taxes, 1922, interest and costs,	\$110 56
Paid Albert H. Overman, collector, June 16, 1923, resident taxes, 1922, interest and costs,	352 32
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	\$462 88
Received on redemption of taxes bought by town, previous years,	\$606 68

## LEGAL EXPENDITURES AND DAMAGES

Paid A. F. Weston, M. D., on Sewall case,	\$165 32
Paid H. B. O'Neil, professional services on Sewall case and Camp Namaschaug case,	67 00
Paid N. M. Chaplain, professional services on Sewall case,	63 98
Paid Sewall damage,	2,500 00
Paid court cost,	310 46
Paid O. E. Cain, attorney,	314 00
Paid Mrs. L. C. Burt, dinners for judge and attor- neys at hearing May 1, 1923, on discontinuance of Cass Hill road,	1 50

Paid W. E. Lawrence, witness at hearing,	3 00
Paid John B. Knight, damage on discontinuance of road,	100 00
Paid Chas. H. Leach Est. heirs, damage on discontinuance of road,	200 00
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	\$3,725 26

## INTEREST ACCOUNT

Raised by vote,	\$545 00
Paid Cheshire Co. Savings Bank, interest on long term note,	\$122 30
Paid Elwin C. Clough, trustee public funds, interest on trust funds used by town,	353 31
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	\$475 61

## STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

No work done in this line in 1922 and 1923.

Unexpended balance remains as reported Feb. 1, 1922.

In state treasury,	\$33 14
In town treasury,	82 85
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Total unexpended balance,	\$115 99

## TOWN CONSTRUCTION—PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT

Appropriation 1922 as required by law, \$1.00 per thousand of valuation,	\$622 00
Appropriation 1923 as required by law, \$1.00 per thousand of valuation,	642 00
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	\$1,264 00

Expended by Elmer F. Ware on River road,	\$341 00
Expended by John R. Burt on East Westmoreland road,	573 85
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	\$914 85
Balance permanent improvement fund,	\$349 15
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INDEBTEDNESS	
Raised by vote on town hall debt,	\$500 00
Raised by vote on Sewall debt,	500 00
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	\$1,000 00
Paid Cheshire Co. Savings Bank,	\$1,000 00
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PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS	
County treasurer,	\$1,028 78
State treasurer,	1,150 00
State treasurer, \$2.00 payment on \$5.00 poll taxes,	504 00
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	\$2,682 78
SCHOOL ACCOUNT	
1922 dog licenses, becoming due May 1, 1923,	\$149 40
Raised for support of schools,	3,348 20
Raised for salaries of district officers,	175 00
State supervision at \$2.00 per capita,	214 00
Excess superintendent's salary,	260 00
High school tuitions,	500 00
Expense of administration,	30 00
Construction of schoolhouse,	500 00
Interest on construction debt,	160 00
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	\$5,336 60
Paid to Elva B. Farrington, school district treasurer,	\$5,336 60

## REFUNDS

J. E. Sheldon, overpayment to town treasurer on 1922 auto taxes,	\$30 01
J. E. Sheldon, overpayment to town treasurer on 1922 dog licenses,	1 80
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	\$31 81

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFFORD C. McCLENNING,  
ELMER F. WARE,  
ELWIN C. CLOUGH,

Selectmen of Westmoreland.

## REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

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### SNOW ACCOUNT

FEBRUARY, 1923

J. R. Burt,	\$43 83
S. B. Putnam,	26 00
W. E. Lawrence,	34 00
Carl Barrett,	29 65
O. J. Rounds,	7 50
C. M. Moore,	5 00
J. Fred Fredette,	18 00
Clyde Kenyon,	4 20
E. F. Ware,	3 00
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	\$171 18

MARCH

J. R. Burt,	\$6 17
E. C. Wellington,	9 33
Frank H. Fields,	5 10
Gains W. Hall,	32 16
H. J. Soucie,	2 00
W. E. Lawrence,	20 00
Horace Bump,	3 00
Amos W. Hall,	6 50
O. J. Thompson,	13 83
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APRIL

J. R. Burt,	\$5 50
Earl Chickering,	3 00
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	\$8 50

## MARCH

W. E. Lawrence,	\$10 33
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## APRIL

J. R. Burt,	\$7 83
Bright King,	7 67
Gilbert Aldrich,	3 00
Thornton Paine,	6 00
Sardine Putnam,	20 00
W. E. Lawrence,	6 33
E. F. Ware,	10 25
Clifford McClenning, bridge plank,	35 00
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	\$96 08

## MAY

John Fredette,	\$35 17
J. Fred Fredette,	75 00
L. C. Burt,	63 00
C. Moulthrop,	16 66
Bateman & Co., plow point,	1 67
Chas. Norcross, work on scraper,	4 10
Star Greeley,	30 66
J. R. Burt,	82 83
S. B. Putnam,	75 24
W. E. Lawrence,	20 53
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	\$404 86

## JUNE

J. R. Burt,	\$33 00
Berger Mfg. Co. of Mass., culvert,	88 00
Pearson Bros., fuse and caps,	80
W. E. Lawrence,	35 05
J. Fred Fredette,	6 00
S. B. Putnam,	17 00

L. C. Burt,	25 00
B. King,	9 00
Elmer Ware,	30 08
Star Grreley,	10 67
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	\$254 60

## JULY

J. R. Burt,	\$16 67
S. B. Putnam,	24 87
W. E. Lawrencee,	14 01
E. F. Ware,	8 75
C. C. McClenning, plank,	70 00
E. C. Clough,	17 00
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	\$151 30

## AUGUST

E. J. Holden,	\$82 50
J. Fred Fredette,	84 00
L. C. Burt,	44 25
C. H. Norcross,	3 45
J. R. Burt,	153 50
Bright King,	33 00
Joe Martell,	9 00
Leland Lund,	20 50
Carl Johnson, gravel,	12 30
L. A. Mahogany, plank,	28 52
Sardine Putnam,	114 80
W. E. Lawrencee,	87 45
E. C. Clough,	58 50
Elmer Ware,	39 25
O. G. Thompson, plank,	72 89
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	\$843 91

## SEPTEMBER

J. R. Burt,	\$132 67
Bright King,	30 67
J. R. Burt, 156 loads gravel at 15c,	23 40
L. D. Warren, nails for bridges, etc.,	3 00
J. B. Knight,	63 59
Leland Lund,	9 00
Frank A. Norcross,	33 00
L. C. Burt,	66 00
J. E. Sheldon, 8M shingles at \$7.10 per M,	56 80
W. E. Lawrence, work on bridge,	31 50
W. E. Lawrence, work on road,	43 95
F. B. Pierce, 38 loads gravel at 15c	5 70
J. Fred Fredette,	59 00
B. R. Wheeler,	9 00
E. J. Holden,	45 75
S. B. Putnam,	64 32
Elmer Ware,	42 40
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	\$719 75

## OCTOBER

J. R. Burt,	\$217 83
Wm. Foley,	32 50
B. R. Wheeler,	13 17
Frank Norcross,	12 50
J. Fred Fredette,	2 00
Merton C. Leach, labor and gravel,	22 00
S. B. Putnam,	42 00
Bright King,	33 00
L. C. Burt,	6 00
W. E. Lawrence,	108 30
J. B. Knight,	7 10
C. C. McClenning,	2 00
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	\$498 40

## NOVEMBER

J. R. Burt,	\$12 50
J. R. Burt, 3 loads gravel,	45
Jessie Messinger, 50 loads gravel,	7 50
W. E. Lawrencee,	14 55
S. B. Putnam,	67 50
O. G. Thompson,	17 16
Elmer Ware,	6 10
E. C. Clough,	72 30
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	\$198 06
By 20 ft. 12 in. culvert,	24 00
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	\$174 06

## DECEMBER

J. R. Burt,	\$13 50
E. J. Holden,	7 50
S. B. Putnam,	17 66
W. E. Lawrencee,	19 05
J. B. Knight,	1 00
C. J. Leach,	4 00
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	\$62 71

## JANUARY, 1924

F. W. Hall, for railings, posts and labor,	\$10 00
Henry Bingham,	75
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	\$10 75

JOHN R. BURT,  
Road Agent.

**WORK ON CARLYLE BRIDGE****APRIL**

Pearson Bros., sheet metal,	\$21 39
Freight and telephoning,	80
A. C. Goodrum, saw bill,	17 10
Miss L. G. Taft, lumber,	37 12
Arthur M. Greeley,	31 50
J. Fred Fredette,	6 00
L. D. Warren, nails and screws,	4 98
J. R. Burt,	53 17
L. A. Mahogany, lumber,	5 00
Clifford McClenning,	2 50
W. E. Lawrence,	104 48
L. D. Warren, paint and oil,	17 32
Fred Elmore, painting,	6 50
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	\$307 86

**PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT WORK****NOVEMBER**

J. R. Burt,	\$212 00
L. C. Burt,	39 00
J. Fred Fredette,	69 00
Harry Staples,	21 00
Wm. Foley,	21 00
Kenneth Rounds,	30 00
W. E. Lawrence,	34 50
John Fredette,	31 50
Star Greeley,	25 50
L. D. Warren, 6 bags cement,	6 00
C. H. Norcross, sharpening picks, etc.,	1 60
Bradley Leach, gravel,	58 75
Town of Westmoreland, 20 ft. of 12 in. culvert,	24 00
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	\$573 85

**IMPROVEMENT FUND EXPENDED BY ELMER F. WARE**

Elmer F. Ware,	\$53 00
Dana Wilder,	57 00
L. W. Churchill,	66 00
Earl Chickering,	33 00
Harold Stoddard,	22 50
Erwin Stoddard,	18 00
C. W. Kenyon,	12 00
H. E. Wells,	4 50
A. P. Roach,	33 00
E. W. Nelson,	3 00
Eddie Grigit,	19 50
Charlie Grigit,	19 50
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	\$341 00

**REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., ON FEBRUARY 1, 1924.**

Date of Creation of C.D.	Trust Funds of Corporate Creations	How Invested	Amount paid off Principal of Certificates of Perpetuity	Rate of interest Certificates of Perpetuity	Income Dur- ing year	Income of In- come on hand at end of year	Balance on hand at end of year	Expended Dur- ing year	Income of In- come on hand at end of year
1816	Jonathan Lord Fund	Town Note	\$2,000.00	4	\$92.75	82.38	\$92.75	\$82.38	\$82.38
1817	Eliphilaet Fox Fund for Schools	Town Note	1,000.00	4	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
1829	Town Literary Fund for School	Town Note	1,772.67	6	106.36	106.36	106.36	106.36	106.36
1890	Henry Estey Fund for School	Town Note	891.67	4	35.67	35.67	35.67	35.67	35.67
1914	Frank T. Cole Fund for Aban- doned Cemeteries	Town Note	500.00	4	43.37	20.00	23.40	23.40	39.97
	Charlotte West Fund for Cemetery lot	Town Note	300.00	4	79.26	12.00	71.55	19.71	
	Gline Fund for Poocham Cemetery	Cem.-Town Note	132.00	4	10.85	5.28	6.00	10.13	
	Julia A. Britton Brown Fund	Town Note	200.00	4	41	8.00	2.00	6.41	
	for Cemetery lot	Town Note	100.00	4	18.27	4.00	12.70	9.57	
	Eliphilaet Hunt Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Town Note	100.00	4	12.71	4.00	11.00	5.71	
	Lucy E. Stratton Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Town Note	100.00	4	20.72	4.00	3.00	21.72	
	Mary A. Graves Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Town Note	200.00	4	3.58	8.00	2.25	9.33	
	Emily Estey Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Town Note	100.00	4	17.91	4.00	16.40	5.51	
	Frank A. Ware Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Town Note	50.00	4	10.37	2.00	11.15	1.22	
	Lonisa F. Shelley Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Town Note	200.00	4	28.23	8.08	1.50	34.81	
1918	Olive L. Briggs Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Keene Savings Bank	2,000.00	4	80.00	80.00	80.00	80.00	
1918	Olive L. Briggs Fund for Library	Tel. & Tel. Stock	1,000.00	4	20.53	40.80	40.25	21.08	
1918	Olive L. Briggs Fund for Library mas	Christ-Tel. & Tel. Stock	100.00	4	6.73	4.04	7.13	3.64	
1920	J. E. Buffini Fund for Cemetery lot	Cem.-Keene Savings Bank	50.00	4	2.88	2.02	3.38	1.52	
1919	Laura Kennedy Fund for Cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	500.00	4	20.00	20.00	20.00	20.00	
1917	Martha Wood Burt Fund for Library	Town Note	100.00	4	9.12	4.04	1.00	12.16	
1920	C. G. Britton Fund for Cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	100.00	4	8.25	4.04	9.25	3.04	
1920	Manly P. Horton Fund for Cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	100.00	4	3.01	2.48	53		
1923	Earl Warren Fund for Cemetery lot	Keene Savings Bank	100.00	4	\$385.94	\$501.72	\$599.22	\$288.44	

## STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Town treasurer, balance interest on Lord fund for highways,	\$12 75
School district treasurer, 1922 interest on Lord fund,	80 00
School district treasurer, interest on school funds,	182 03
H. G. Hopkins, mowing Pratt cemetery,	2 40
C. W. Kenyon, mowing and cleaning Works cemetery,	14 00
Forest W. Hall, labor in Edson and Chaffee cemeteries,	7 00
Fred G. Morse, labor Shelley cemetery lot,	1 00
Fred G. Morse, labor Hunt cemetery lot,	1 50
Fred G. Morse, labor Buffum cemetery lot,	1 00
Fred G. Morse, labor Kennedy cemetery lot,	50
East Westmoreland Cemetery Association, Curtis Britton cemetery lot,	1 00
Fred G. Morse, labor Horton cemetery lot,	1 00
C. C. McClenning, labor, material, fertilizer and seed on the following cemetery lots:	
Hunt lot,	11 20
Stratton lot,	11 00
Ware lot,	16 40
Shelley lot,	10 15
Kennedy lot,	2 88
Horton lot,	8 25
Warren lot,	2 48
West lot,	71 55
Buffum lot,	6 13
Geo. S. Brown, mowing Poocham Cemetery,	6 00
Geo. S. Brown, labor Starkey and Brown lots,	3 00
Geo. S. Brown, labor Briggs lot,	1 50
Library trustees, interest Briggs fund,	80 00
Library trustees, interest Martha Wood Burt fund,	20 00

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Christmas committee, interest Briggs Christmas fund,	40	25
East Westmoreland Cemetery Association, Julia Britton lot,		2 00
East Westmoreland Cemetery Association, Estey lot,	2	25
Total expenditures,		\$599 22

Respectfully submitted,

ELWIN C. CLOUGH,  
ALBA W. ATHERTON,

Trustees.

**REPORT OF BRIGGS CHRISTMAS FUND**

BY COMMITTEE FOR 1923

Received of trustees, interest on fund,	\$40 53
Amount paid for presents,	\$37 41
Amount paid for expenses,	2 84
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	\$40 25
Balance returned to trustees,	\$0 28

There were 156 children in town at Christmas time. 93 of the number were in school. The Ladies' Aid gave the oranges and candy which helped out a good deal and was appreciated very much by the committee.

Signed,

NORA E. HULETT,  
NELLIE F. CLOUGH.

**LIBRARIAN'S REPORT**

Balance on hand from last year,	\$12 15
Fines collected,	2 37
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	\$14 52

**EXPENDITURES**

Supplies, postage and money orders,	\$7 21
Cash to balance,	7 31
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	\$14 52

Number of patrons,	136
Number of volumes issued,	1,672
Number of magazines issued,	171
Number of volumes issued in 1922,	1,813
Number of volumes in Westmoreland library,	2,791
Number of volumes in Martha Wood Burt Memorial library,	890

**BOOKS PRESENTED**

State books,	17
Marjorie Baker,	1
Mary K. Ward	1
Ella Lewis Crane and Elizabeth Lewis,	4

**MAGAZINES**

Pictorial Review, McCall's Magazine and American Magazine,	Luella S. Bill
Saturday Evening Post,	Delila S. Briton
Ladies' Home Journal,	Ethel Baker

ELVA B. FARRINGTON,  
Librarian.

## TREASURER'S REPORT

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### RECEIPTS

Balance from last year,	\$15 21
By vote of the town for running expenses,	100 00
Interest on Brigg's fund,	80 00
Interest on Martha Wood Burt fund,	20 00
Total,	 \$215 21

### EXPENDITURES

Aug. 17, 1923, Elva B. Farrington, librarian,	\$22 50
Oct. 17, 1923, R. F. Graves, repairing slate,	6 35
Oct. 23, 1923, W. F. Hammond, load kindling,	3 00
Nov. 15, 1923, W. G. Hopkins, labor on library,	1 50
Nov. 16, 1923, G. H. Tilden & Co., books,	34 00
Dec. 3, 1923, A. B. Palmer, insurance,	6 00
Dec. 17, 1923, Elva B. Farrington, librarian,	22 50
Jan. 8, 1924, G. H. Aldrich, insurance,	15 04
Jan. 30, 1924, G. H. Tilden & Co., books,	45 73
Feb. 1, 1924, J. R. Burt, wood,	10 00
Total,	 \$166 62
Cash on hand to balance,	\$48 59

ALICE B. McCLENNING,  
Treasurer.

## TRUSTEES' REPORT

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We submit the following report for the year 1923.

We feel that we have been able to serve the patrons of the library more efficiently this past year through having all the income of the trust funds. We have been able to add sixty-three good readable books, beside a number presented by interested friends, to our library.

To get the greatest benefit from the library the patronage should increase. We believe the townspeople would feel repaid by making more frequent visits to the library.

We appreciate the splendid work done by Miss Tatnall and the Mesdames Thompson and the interest shown in maintaining the East branch. To carry on the work successfully new books must be added so we earnestly request that the sum of \$100 be voted to sustain the running expenses of the library as in 1923 so that the income from the trust funds may be used for the purchase of new books.

Signed,

ELLEN E. COBB,  
CARRIE W. BURT,  
ALICE B. McCLENNING,

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Having examined the accounts of the selectmen, treasurer, town clerk, tax collector, road agent, trustees of public funds, library trustees and librarian we find them correct and properly vouched.

OMER G. THOMPSON,  
EDWARD C. GREENE,  
Auditors.

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

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### FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WESTMORELAND FOR THE YEAR 1922-23

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#### CURRENT REVENUE

Balance on hand July 1, 1922,	\$302 55
Five dollar tax on equalized valuation,	3,380 19
Salary of district officers,	175 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	250 00
Two dollar per capita tax,	248 00
Expenses of administration,	30 00
High school tuition,	500 00
State equalization fund,	2,101 05
Sale of paint,	5 00
Balance of 1921 dog tax,	20
Interest on trust fund,	182 03
Refund Little, Brown & Co.,	3 99
Dog tax, May, 1923,	149 40
Received from Miss Congdon, school entertainment,	10 04
Refund from bank,	05
Total current revenue,	7,337 50
Total expenditures,	6,681 12
Balance on hand June 30, 1923,	\$656 38

## EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1922-23

Salary of district officers,	\$160 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	260 00
Two dollar per capita tax,	248 00
School census	7 25
Expenses of administration	39 56
Teacher's salaries,	4,162 00
Text books,	207 87
Schollar's supplies,	171 87
Flags,	8 39
Other expenses of instruction,	18 81
Janitor services,	234 80
Fuel,	218 90
Janitor supplies,	18 78
Minor repairs,	188 00
Transportation,	229 00
High school tuition,	385 00
Insurance.	50 00
New Equipment,	60 67
Interest on borrowed money,	11 22
 Total expenditures,	 \$6,681 12

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF THE EXPENDITURES FOR  
THE YEAR 1922-23

## Salary of district officers:

C. H. Aldrich,	\$45 00
A. W. Atherton,	45 00
J. A. Craig,	35 00
Elva B. Farrington,	35 00
 Superintendent:	 \$160 00
Lyle E. Kemp, district treasurer,	\$260 00

Two dollar per capita tax treasurer:  
 John W. Plummer, state treasurer, 248 00  
 School census:  
 Earl B. Hodgkins, 6 00  
 W. H. Spalter, 1 25  
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 \$7 25

Expenses of administration:  
 W. J. English, \$25 22  
 C. H. Aldrich, 2 00  
 Rota Speed Co., 8 70  
 Elva B. Farrington, 1 68  
 John A. Webber, 1 96  
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 \$39 56

Instruction:  
 Ida Cushing, \$950 00  
 Alice McClenning, 900 00  
 Ethel M. Davis, 800 00  
 Beatrice Congdon, 792 00  
 Vera M. Locke, 720 00  
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 \$4,162 00

Text books:  
 Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., \$29 47  
 Rand McNally Co., 5 51  
 Ginn & Co., 10 49  
 American Book Co., 44 30  
 Edward E. Babb & Co., 39 63  
 A. C. Goodrum, 68  
 John C. Winston & Co., 7 59  
 Little Brown & Co., 25 44  
 F. H. Metcalf, 5 00  
 D. C. Heath & Co., 9 77  
 Public School Publishing Co., 4 33

MacCallan & Co.,	7 38
Houghton Miflin Co.,	16 65
Russell Sage Foundation,	94
Lyons & Carnahan,	4 69
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	\$207 87
Scholars supplies:	
Milton Bradley Co.,	\$51 06
C. F. Williams & Sons, Inc.,	2 52
Charles H. Aldrich,	2 80
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	52 33
C. M. Russell,	10 00
Kenny Bros., and Wilkins,	46 73
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	75
Model Press,	2 55
Chester McClenning	3 13
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	\$171 87
Flags:	
J. L. Hammett & Co.,	\$4 80
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	2 36
Milton Bradley & Co.,	1 23
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	\$8 39
Other expenses of instruction:	
Donald Megathlin,	\$5 00
Public school publishing Co.,	4 16
World Book Co.,	7 65
Rand McNally Co.,	3 00
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	\$19 81
Janitor and cleaning:	
Charles H. Aldrich,	\$6 00
Mrs. H. E. Wells,	4 00
E. B. Derry,	87 00

Hiram Woodward,	41 50
H. G. Hopkins,	8 80
O. E. Ward,	19 50
Donald Paine,	9 00
Thomas Short,	23 00
Ethel M. Davis,	36 00
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	\$234 80
<b>Fuel:</b>	
Charles H. Aldrich,	\$ 3 75
A. C. Goodrum,	62 00
G. E. Britton,	18 65
E. B. Derry,	1 00
A. W. Atherton,	26 50
G. S. Brown,	4 00
Russell Wellington,	27 00
John Burt,	48 50
Janis Hall,	27 00
Hiram Woodward,	50
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	\$218 90
<b>Janitor supplies:</b>	
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	\$17 53
A. W. Atherton,	1 25
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	\$18 78
<b>Minor repairs:</b>	
H. E. Wells,	\$152 54
Fred Elmore,	50
Spencer Hardware Co.,	1 02
Geo. B. Allbee Co.,	13 50
C. H. Aldrich,	70
Cheshire Chemical Co.,	3 00
Hiram Woodward,	1 50

O. J. Atwood,	4 00
A. W. Atherton,	1 45
Edward E. Babb & Co.,	9 79
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	\$188 00
Transportation:	
Mrs. Warner Holden,	\$162 00
C. M. Moore,	67 00
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	\$229 00
High school tuition:	
Union school district,	\$275 00
Walpole school district,	110 00
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	\$385 00
Insurance:	
G. H. Aldrich & Sons,	\$50 00
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	\$50 00
New equipment:	
Chemical Rubber Co.,	\$12 60
A. C. Goodrum,	25 25
L. D. Warren,	72
Fenton & Hennessey,	22 10
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	\$60 67
Interest on borrowed money:	
Cheshire county savings bank,	\$11 22
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	\$11 22
Total expenditures,	\$6,681 12

**TEMPORARY FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WESTMORELAND**

From July 1st, 1923 to Feb. 1st, 1924

Balance on hand July 1st.,	\$656 38
Five dollar tax on equalized valuation,	3,348 20
Salary of district officers,	175 00
Superintendent's years salary	260 00
Two dollar per capita tax,	214 00
Expenses of administration,	30 00
High school tuition,	500 00
State equilization fund,	1,600 34
Interest on trust fund,	80 00
Mrs. E. C. Wellington for flag pole,	5 00
Mrs. Henry Houghton for paper,	25
To pay interest on borrowed money,	160 00
 Total revenue to Feb. 1st.,	 \$7,029 17

**EXPENDITURES**

Expenses from July 1st, 1923 to Feb. 1st, 1924

Salary of district officers,	\$3 00
Superintendent's excess salary,	260 00
Two dollar per capita tax,	214 00
School census,	9 62
Expenses of administration,	6 79
Teachers, salaries,	1,764 22
Text books,	83 84
Scholar's supplies,	111 80
Flags,	3 50
Expenses of instruction,	4 00
Janitor service,	96 00

Fuel,	41 62
Janitor supplies,	42 59
Minor repairs,	12 04
Transportation,	198 50
High school tuition,	246 00
Insurance	150 00
New equipment,	41 40
Payment of interest on debt,	118 75
School noon lunch	87

Total expenses to Feb. 1st.,	\$3,408 54
Total revenue to Feb. 1st.,	7,029 17
Balance in treasury Feb. 1st.,	\$3,620 63

Statement of the revenue and expenditures of  
the new school building:

G. H. Aldrich & Sons insurance,	\$2,000 00
Interest on insurance money,	16 67
Cheshire Co., savings bank, borrowed money,	5,000 00
Town,	500 00
E. C. Green cement,	6 00
Total revenue,	\$7,522 67
Total expenditures,	7,314 17
Balance in treasury, Feb. 1st.,	\$ 208 50

CHARLES H. ALDRICH  
JAMES A. CRAIG,  
ALBA W. ATHERTON,  
School Board of Westmoreland.

## REQUIRED PROPOSAL OF EXPENDITURES FOR 1924-25

For the support of elementary schools,	\$5,200 00
(This includes the purchase of fuel, teachers' salaries, transportation, etc.)	
For the purchase of books and supplies,	250 00
For flags and appurtenances,	10 00
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	\$5,460 00
Statutory obligations,	
High school tuition,	\$500 00
Per capita tax,	214 00
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	\$714 00
Administration:	
Salaries of district officers,	\$175 00
Superintendent's salary,	260 00
Expenses of administration,	30 00
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	\$465 00
Total expenses for 1924-25,	\$6,639 00
Estimate of revenue to meet above expenses:	
\$5 tax on the equalized valuation,	\$3,380 19
State aid, (to be counted on),	1,600 34
High school tuition,	500 00
Per capita tax,	214 00
Administration,	465 00
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Total money needed to meet above estimate,	\$6,159 53

## REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

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### RECEIPTS

From September 1, 1922 to September 1, 1923

Cash on hand September 1, 1922,	\$302 55
Received from town treasurer, from Sept. 1, 1922 to Feb. 1, 1923,	3,000 00
Received from town treasurer from Feb. 1, 1923 to Sept. 1, 1923,	1,583 39
Received from treasurer of trustees,	182 03
Dog tax,	149 40
Paint and blackboard,	15 04
Little, Brown & Co.,	3.99
Ashuelot National Bank,	05
Equalization tax,	2,101 05
Money loaned from Cheshire National Bank.	5,000 00
Insurance and interest,	2,016 67
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	\$14,354 17

### EXPENSES

From September 1, 1922 to February 1, 1923,	\$3,227 79
From February 1, 1923 to September 1, 1923,	6,514 69
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	\$9,742 48
Balance on hand September 1, 1923,	4,611 69
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	\$14,354 17

ELVA B. FARRINGTON,

Treasurer.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the School Board and District Treasurer from July 1st, 1922, to July 1st, 1923 and find them correct and properly vouched.

ELWIN C. CLOUGH,  
Auditor.

Westmoreland, Feb. 1, 1924.

## REPORT OF SCHOOL HOUSE BUILDING COMMITTEE

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Revenue for New Schoolhouse:	
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	\$2,000 00
Interest on insurance money,	16 67
Cheshire County Savings Bank borrowed money,	5,000 00
From town,	500 00
E. C. Green, cement,	6 00
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Total revenue,	\$7,622 67

### EXPENSES

B. C. Parker, plan specifications and blue prints,	\$40 00
Lawrence Burt cleaning cellar	28 65
Harold Ploof cleaning cellar,	7 59
Frank Norcross cleaning cellar,	6 25
H. G. Hopkins cleaning cellar,	8 10
M. O. Spaulding, plan copies,	5 00
Knowlton & Stone, cement and lime,	30 65
Carl Barrett drawing cement,	6 00
A. J. Buffum work on cellar window frames,	2 58
M. O. Spaulding cellar window frames and windows,	38 97
E. C. Greene hauling gravel and sand,	9 00
E. C. Greene, extra specification copies, telephone and express bill,	1 52
H. G. Hopkins, labor,	25 74
Mason Ins., Company contractor's bond,	77 25
Nims Plumbing Co., eave spouts and hanging	60 04

Carl Barrett grading school yard,	15 00
A. E. Fish & Co lumber,	20 00
A. C. Goodrum lumber,	4 80
C. H. Norcross chemical tank hangers	3 00
F. E. Cutler by contract,	5,150 00
F. E. Cutler extra work, cement work for front entrance,	31 95
For metal ridge,	14 00
Extra blackboards,	50 00
Extra coat paint on ceilings,	45 00
Laying brick at front entrance and painting brick around building,	10 50
Strapping for metal ceiling,	31 90
Installing furniture,	70 80
Installing chemical toilets,	27 00
Drain and cess pool,	18 60
Fitting cellar sash,	4 80
Trip to Keene with truck,	4 00
Paint and painting vent pipe,	1 30
Putting buttons on cellar sash and making bulk head window cover,	3 66
Work on bulk head window,	11 65
Foundation for furnace and work on cold air boxes,	46 90
Painting cellar sash and frames,	6 40
Robinson-Brett Lumber Co., matched pine,	1 60
G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance on building while under construction,	9 63
Blodgett and Ploof, work on foundation,	263 35
Lawrence Burt, drawing gravel,	12 00
W. P. Chamberlain, window shades,	23 50
Edward E. Babb & Co., furniture,	550 40
Edward E. Babb & Co., chemical toilets,	166 00
L. C. Burt, drawing furniture and toilets,	6 00
Pearson Bros., furnace and installing,	320 00
Pearson Bros., vent pipe and paint,	14 00

Spencer Hardware Co., drain pipe,	10 08
L. D. Warren, cement and oil,	7 35
Fred Elmore, hanging window shades,	75
Pearson Bros., door checks, nails and enamel,	10 91
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Total expenses,	\$7,314 17
Total revenue,	\$7,522 67
Balance in treasury Feb. 1,	\$ 208 50

CARL M. BARRETT,  
 ALBA W. ATHERTON,  
 EDWARD C. GREENE,  
 Building Committee.

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### SCHOOL HOUSE ACCCOUNT

#### RECEIPTS

Loaned from Cheshire National Bank,	\$5,000 00
Town,	500 00
Insurance and interest,	2,016 67
Cement,	6 00
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Expenses,	\$7,522 67
	7,314 17
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	\$208 50

### SCHOOL HOUSE ACCOUNT

May 5, Lawrence C. Burt, cleaning cellar,	\$19 65
May 5, Harold Ploof, cleaning cellar,	7 59
May 5, B. C. Parker, plans and blue prints,	40 00
June 2, Frank A. Norcross, cleaning cellar,	6 25

June 2, H. G. Hopkins, work on foundation,	8 10
June 2, Blodgett and Ploof, cement foundation,	263 35
June 2, M. O. Spaulding, making plans,	5 00
June 2, Knowlton & Stone, cement and lime,	30 65
June 2, E. C. Greene, express, telephone,	1 52
June 2, Mason Insurance, contractor's bond;	77 25
June 2, Lawrence C. Burt, teaming for foundation,	9 00
June 2, Carl M. Barrett, carting cement,	6 00
June 7, Frank E. Cutler, 25 per cent on contract,	1,287 50
June 15, Frank E. Cutler, 25 per cent on contract,	1,287 50
June 30, Lawrence C. Burt, drawing gravel,	12 00
July 24, Frank E. Cutler, 35 per cent on contract,	1,802 50
Sept. 1, Nims Plumbing Co., eavestroughs and hanging,	60 04
Sept. 1, Lawrence C. Burt, drawing seats,	6 00
Sept. 1, Edward E. Babb & Co., chairs, desks, etc.,	550 40
Sept. 1, H. G. Hopkins, labor at new school house,	17 34
Sept. 8, Frank E. Cutler, balance of contract, extra work,	1,150 96
Sept. 8, Carl M. Barrett, grading,	15 00
Sept. 8, A. E. Fish & Co., 250 ft. matched pine,	20 00
Sept. 8, G. H. Aldrich & Sons, insurance,	9 63
Sept. 8, A. C. Goodrum, 120 ft. of oak at 4c,	4 80
Sept. 8, C. H. Norcross, work and iron,	3 00
Oct. 6, Robinson-Brett Lumber Co., 20 ft. match pine at 8c,	1 60
Oct. 6, W. P. Chamberlain Co., shades,	23 50
Oct. 6, H. G. Hopkins, 28 hours work,	8 40
Oct. 6, Fred Elmore, putting up shades,	75
Nov. 3, Spencer Hardware Co., 48 ft. 4 in. drain pipe,	10 08
Nov. 3, Edward E. Babb & Co., 2 single Kaustin outfits,	166 00
Dec. 1, Leonard D. Warren, cement,	7 35
Dec. 1, A. J. Buffum, paint, nails, labor,	2 58
Dec. 1, M. O. Spaulding,	38 97
Dec. 1, E. C. Greene, labor,	9 00
Dec. 1, Pearson Bros., furnace,	320 00

Dec. 1, Pearson Bros.,	14 00
Dec. 1, Pearson Bros.,	10 91
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	\$7,314 17

ELVA B. FARRINGTON,  
Treasurer.

Having examined the accounts of school house building committee and treasurer I find them correct.

ELWIN C. CLOUGH,  
Auditor.

Feb. 1, 1924.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

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To the School Board and Citizens of Westmoreland:

I herewith submit my fourth annual report on your schools.

The total number of children registered in the schools last year was 100. Of these 10 had previously been registered in some other district. Leaving a net total of 90. 42 of these were boys and 48 girls. The average attendance in per cent was 91.3. It was 93.46 per cent for the state over the same period. The schools were in session 345 half days on an average out of a possible 360. This with the bad winter we had last year and the holidays set aside is not a bad record.

### REPAIRS

No general repairs were made on any of the buildings this summer, due in part to the greater activities at the new building. I hope that much can be done this summer at the East Westmoreland school. The people there have been patient. That building needs shingling. That sort of repair interests me somewhat but only to the extent that it uses money which could otherwise be put into remodeling the building to meet modern conditions. If asked to say what ought to be done at this building I should enumerate thus: Shingle it, revamp or relay the foundation, make the approach to the girls' toilet less exposed. The room itself should have the light on two sides of the pupils at the most instead of three as now. This would call for a change of windows and rearrangement of windows. The stove should be set in the northwest corner of the room and jacketed. The ceiling and

walls need to be refinished and I suggest a steel sheeting for this with the proper paint to cover. This would put the building in permanent repair so that it might be forgotten in this respect for some time. It looks like a large program for a district already loaded but I should feel derelict if I did not lay down the facts.

### NEW BUILDING

This is sufficiently recent to need little comment but that history may be recorded it may be said that it was first used on September 10. It seems large enough to accommodate the pupils now attending and could take care of 15 more. It is found convenient to use and comfortable for pupils to work in. The proper spirit of care for keeping the new appearance seems to be in the minds of the children, due in no small part, as was the excellent care of the town hall while used last year, to the oversight of the teachers. The chemical toilets seem to be both efficient and sufficient and offer little anxiety as to care either in operation or in cleansing. There is a small balance in the hands of the building committee. I would recommend that this be used to finish the job, viz. put in a proper drain from the cellar and surface over one end of it so that manual training equipment might be set up. A sink would be desirable in the building and a plumber tells me that \$35 will put this in and attach it to the cesspool already there. This will be a saving in the long run for inevitably there must some water from drinking cups fall on the floor. The ground is poorly graded and the school yard fence is in a sorry looking condition. I think you will agree that these things while costing not over the money on hand would add much to the surroundings of this already otherwise beautiful little building. If not out of place for me to do so, I would like to commend the spirit which actuated the committee in its efforts for this building. They have taken from their farms many valuable days and evenings to consider details

about which those not immediately concerned can know nothing. A vote of thanks or appreciation is due it at least.

### TEACHERS AND WORK

We have this year two new teachers; one at East Westmoreland, the other at the Corner school. These with the three already with us are doing an excellent piece of work. I know for I am in the schools, at least one or more of the schools, every week. In addition I have had given standard tests in arithmetic, geography, reading, writing, grammar and composition. These have shown standard or better in all places. There are a few slow pupils in school who are behind grade but are now in evidence so that they can get the extra help needed. The plan is for individual assistance. It may not be unfair to say that both this year and last that among the lower grades those of the village school were above the standard set in the tests by the Cleveland survey. This is due in part to the fact that the teacher has just so many less grades than the other teachers but also to the fact that the teaching method from year to year has been the same, up to date and progressive.

### ATTENDANCE AND VACCINATION

The attendance this year is better than ever before. The greatest increase in improvement is at the Depot school. I commend the improvement. Parents should bear in mind that we have only eight grades where formerly we dawdled over nine. Parents should bear in mind that the work is advancing day by day in definiteness both as to purpose and form. Certain amounts are to be covered each year, the first as well as the last. If a child does not make the first year work well, the advance cannot wait and he is liable to have to repeat the grade to avoid trouble farther along the line. For this reason it is well to observe the law which gives the district power to make regulations for the attendance of children from 6 to

16 years. This implies that a child under 6 years has not attained sufficient age to grasp the scope of the work laid out for him. He may get some and parrot it back at the teacher but understanding only is a sign of learning.

Twelve per cent of the children in the state are not vaccinated. The per cent in our schools is nearer 40. A figure that is entirely too high. Most of the 12 per cent of the state come from outlying or rural districts where the false impression is that no small pox can reach such places. Witness Dummerston, Putney, Langdon and Sanbornville this year. May we not have the children all in school this next year under legal conditions. Why not get a certificate from a physician stating that the child is unfit for vaccination if such is the case and let us report a clean slate.

#### CONCLUSION

I appreciate the spirit of the people in taking the interest in schools that is attested by the purchase of the piano and victrola for the So. Village school. The spirit of the East Westmoreland people is likewise good. That of the patrons of the two other schools is highly commendable. The vote of the town meeting which turned over the \$80 income to the children for noon luncheons is quite in advance of the vote of any other town meeting in the state. It is being well used and is serving a mighty purpose. If it happens again none will rejoice more than the teachers and myself.

The future is not for me to tell about but the present spirit of the people, children and the efficient, thorough work of the teachers bids well for the days to come. The support and cooperation of you all is appreciated and encouraging.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. ENGLISH,

Superintendent.

## VITAL STATISTICS

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To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

### BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1923.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex and Condition of Child, etc.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Tributary Mother.	Age of Mother.
Jan. 3	Ella G.	F	L	3	Paul D. King	Agnes H. Kingsbury	Trackman	Keene
Jan. 26	Emma Marie	F	L	1	George N. Townsend	Dorothy Reid	Farmer	Newark, N. J.
Mar. 20	Emma Marie	F	L	4	Paul Orlando Rumill	Josie M. LaFountain	Teamster	Keene
Apr. 18	Evelyn Florence	F	L	11	Henry J. Soncie	Jennie E. Morris	Laborer	Hanover
Apr. 21	Alberta	F	L	5	Wm. L. Sears	Bernice Graves	Mill hand	Ludlow, Vt.
June 4	Robert Sherwood	M	S	4	Felix E. Aldrich	Ivy B. Lilly	Auto mechanic	Westmoreland
July 3	Ruth Audrey	F	S	4	Clyde W. Kenyon	Bertha M. Christian	Partner	Vermontov, Ct.
Aug. 28	Alta Marguerite	F	L	4	Earl B. Hodgkins	Frances Clayton	General clerk	Keene
Sept. 22	Phyllis Irene	F	L	2	Wilfred Ray Holland	Thelma S. Leighton	Farmer	Rockingham, Vt.
Oct. 11		M	L	5	Furber W. Dimond	Helen Stafford	Farm foreman	Irving, Mass.
Oct. 22	Amy Francis	F	L	6	Leroy Waters	Elizabeth V. Evans	Farming	Portsmouth
Dec. 14		M	L	2	Amos W. Hatt	Mary Brigadis	Farmer	Raymond

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1923.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Condition of person by whom married.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 4	Walpole	Fred A. Buckman Eleanor Parker	Westmorel'd Putney, Vt.	50	Farmer Housekeeper	Plainfield Townsend, Vt.	Hiliad Buckman Alison Cushion	Rv. Wm. J. Hall Leonminster, Ms.	3d	Rv. Wm. J. Hall Walpole
Mar 17	Keene	Olin F. Graves Ellen P. Houghton Keene	Westmorel'd Westmorel'd Putney, Vt.	24	Farming Inspector	Cavendish, Vt. Putney, Vt.	Chas. W. Graves A. G. Houghton	Mt. Holly, Vt. Putney, Vt.	1st	Rv. N. A. Baker Keene
Oct. 5	Nashua	Andrew J. Tegu Beatrice M. Congdon Vernon L. Kimball	Westmorel'd West Bridge-Water, Ms. Wolfeboro	27	Cheese Mfgr. School Teac'r Mechanic	Bacasa, Turkey W. Bridgewater [Ms.] So., Wolfeboro W. Northfield	John S. Tegu Fred T. Congdon G. H. Kimball W. Northfield	Bacasa, Turkey Nova, Scotia Whitefield W. Northfield, Ms. James P. Aldrich (Gill, Mass.)	1st	Rv. H. F. French Nashua
Oct. 13	Keene	Ida M. Chickering	Westmorel'd	45	Housekeeper				2d	Rv. E. H. Newc'b Keene

\* What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1923.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age. Years. Months. Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition Male or Female.		Place of Birth.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Maiden Name of Mother.
				S.	M.	W.			
Jan. 17	Ella G. King	13	E. Westmoreland	F	S	Keene	Westmoreland	Paul D. King	Agnes Kingsbury
Feb. 4	Mary L. Nesmith	71	5 9	F	M	Surry	Surry	Gilbert Craine	Nanette Thomas
Mar. 16	Ann E. Pierce	77	8 24	F	M	Swanzey	Swanzey	Enoch Howe	Nancy Cummings
May 18	Augusta Bates Alden	84	5 1	F	M	Abington, Ms.	Weymouth, Ms.	Vaor Hersey	Ellen Nash
June 28	Jennie E. Green	80	2 29	F	M	Fairlie, Vt.	Fairlie, Vt.	Melvin Derby	Mary Woodard
July 3	Kuth A. Kenyon	4	3	F	M	Voilentown, Ct.	Mahopac, N. Y.	Clyde W. Kenyon	Bertha M. Christian
July 3	Henry H. Rogers	71	3	F	M	Goshen	Lempster	John H. Rogers	Emily Rogers
Oct. 27	Harriet J. Schureman	70	6 21	F	M	Mass.	Vermont	John Dinsmore	Sarah Hewett
	John H. Dinsmore	83	6 21	F	M	Mass.			

\* Single, married or widowed.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF WESTMORELAND, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1923.  
CHESHIRE COUNTY ALMHOUSE.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age. Years. Months. Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex and Cond'n		Place of Birth.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Maiden Name of Mother.
				* Single, Married or Widowed.	W. Female or Male.				
Jan. 3	Hester A. Wright	80	9 23	Ticonderoga, N. Y.	F	W	Nathan, Belknap	Olive Belknap	
Feb. 2	Richard Lyman	62		Rindge	M	W			
..	Eif L. Claire	30			M	S			
Mar. 23	Harry J. White	71		Athens, Vt.	M	W			
Apr. 4	Sewell Shelley	70		Springfield, Ms.	M	W			
..	Julius Putnam	78		8 Aistead	F	W	— Cooper		
..	Emma A. Harrington	80		Ireland	M	S			
..	Patrick O'Keefe	76		Ireland	M	S	Willard Forbes	Annie Atherton	
..	John Barry	72		Winchester	M	S			
..	Willard B. Forbes	70		Keene	M	S			
..	Edward Ballou	48		Ireland	F	S			
..	Ellen Lee	80			F	S			
May 5	Emma Phillip	71		Walpole	M	S	Westmoreland		
Aug. 2	Mary Callahan	69	1	Dallas, Texas	M	S	Westmoreland		
..	John W. Kathan	64	6	Chesterfield	M	M	Vermont		
..	George Green	57	9	30	M	W			
Sept. 11	Fred C. Hall	87	1	Royalston, Ms.	M	W			
..	F. G. Wheeler	83	10	Cavindish, Vt.	M	W	Reading, Vt.		
..	Edwin W. Rovee	74	9	Dublin	M	S	England	Samuel Royce	
Oct. 11	Theodore Wood	78	21	Ireland	M	P	Ireland	George Wood	
..	Jerry Doyle	63	2	Windham, Vt.	M	S	Montague, Ms.	Patrick Doyle	
Dec. 14	Emma Dean	63	3	Ireland	M	S	Ireland	Oscar Dean	
..	Christo'erEnstice,Jr.	63	5	Nelson				Charlotte Clapp	
..	Christo'erEnstice,Jr.	63	5					Bridget Bleydey	

\*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PERRY W. BURT, Town Clerk.



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